



Other Side of the Coin

(Rebuttal to Notes to the Nation dated March 13, 2011)

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Kugee's Notes

Congressman Supernaw's Notes to the Nation dated March 13, 2011 attempts to instill "Fear of the Unknown" to the reader. I find this disturbing to say the least given that the Minerals Estate has done quite well without the protection of this new Osage Government for the past 105 years.

Suggesting that the Minerals Estate is under the protection of the new Osage Nation's sovereign Immunity status is rather comical in a strange sort of way. Considering that it is the New Osage Nation Government itself that we fear the most!

Is it not the new Osage Nation Government that is attempting a Hostile Takeover of the Mineral Estate? I think so. Yet Congressman Supernaw states the following:

"Any change that directly affects the minerals estate should be thoroughly thought out. The long term effects should be carefully considered and every

scenario researched. I don't want to be a part of anything that diminishes or harms the mineral estate in any way and I don't think any other member of this government does either."

The Congressman goes on to say:

"The political climate is such now that whatever the minerals council asks for, they probably will get. There could be a hidden danger in that."

----- End Quote-----

Hidden Danger?

What prey tell could be any more dangerous than what is taking place before our eyes today?

Furthermore, how is it that one can be so certain that this so called sovereign immunity has not been assumed by the new Osage Nation Government in error? Is it not plausible that when push comes to shove, the U.S. Government would determine that in fact it is the Government of the Osage Minerals Council

established in 1906 which holds that status? I think so.

Regardless, Sovereign Immunity is nothing more than a pacifier to Native American Tribes. At best a Tribe can keep themselves from being sued therefore they take advantage of this status by doing less than above board transactions, etc. (as we have seen here)

It is a known fact that whatever sovereign immunity a tribe has it is quasi meaning "kinda sorta" which basically is very little.

I don't recall the Tribal Council concerning itself with such a phenomenon for the past 105 years so why should we be fearful of losing something we never had?

Who to Believe?

Another statement in Kugee's notes:

"The members of Congress did not participate in this issue. I, and perhaps others, considered this issue to be between the

Chief and the Minerals Council.”

BUT

On March 5, 2011, Congressman Geoffrey Standing Bear made this statement on the Osage Shareholders Forum:

Standing Bear: *“This MOU does not speak for the entire Osage Nation. Perhaps some or several of the Members of the Osage Congress agree with it, however, it takes an actual vote of the Osage Congress to get a majority which then expresses the will of the Osage Congress. There is nothing on any agenda which calls for a vote to support this MOU proposal.”*

High Stakes Dodge Ball

We can liken this type of representation to a game of High Stakes Dodge Ball. We have members of Congress admitting involvement and others denying involvement. We also have a case of “Who Done it” going on.

Congressman Supernaw points out in his Notes to the Nation that when when John Red Eagles “representative” presented the insane MOU to the Minerals Council, the representative was asked if John Red Eagle had

approved the 7-page MOU, the Representative offered no comment.” Hmm.

What are we to think? Did the Representative create the document? Did he find it on the street? Was someone holding a gun to John Red Eagles head? It doesn’t matter really. Again, it is the thought that counts and the thought was clearly there!

Mere letter or MOU 2nd draft?

Another thing that struck me strange about Kugee’s Notes to the Nation was the fact that he named the letter from the Minerals Council “MOU 2nd draft” Which has lead some people to believe that the insane MOU had been revised. This is certainly not the case. You will see in Kugee’s Notes to the Nation that he clearly was aware that the letter was a letter, was a letter.

Was it the hope that his readers would fall into his self described “Mass Confusion” and mistake the letter for a revised MOU or am I becoming paranoid?

Shareholders Lawsuit

Surely we have learned by now that we cannot trust or depend on anyone but ourselves to carry out the laws of the Osage Minerals

Trust and the Estate. Examples of which I just presented will hopefully help everyone concerned resolve to take matters into their own hands and get behind this lawsuit.

I believe that it is very possible that the effort to rally and engage all shareholders to support this lawsuit has resulted in this type of newsletter from Congressman Supernaw.

I believe it is fear of the unknown to those in office that is being expressed in this edition of Notes to the Nation dated March 13, 2011.

Go Forth & Ignore

I recommend that we move forward with this lawsuit regardless of what promises are made today or in the future. We’ve heard promises before and what has come of them?

For our children’s sake and our grandchildren, we need to get this in the courts and settled once and for all.

All documents relating to this matter can be found at my website HOT TOPICS link.

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